HOUSE BILL 564

By Harwell

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 5, Part 6, relative to the scope of negotiations.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-5-611, is amended by deleting the semicolon from subsection (a)(1) and adding the following language:

, but not to include bonuses or other compensation tied to performance standards;

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-5-611, is further amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

(c) As used in this section, the words "performance standards" refer to performance objectives related to the school system's goals. Such objectives shall be clearly stated, feasible and within the scope of employment of the employees.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.